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SUBJECT: LETTER FOR PRESIDENT CARTER

AMBASSADOR HAS RECEIVED A LETTER FOR TRANSMITTAL TO
PRESIDENT CARTER SUPPORTING THE PANAMA CANAL TREATIES
FROM THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL (CONSEJO SUPERIOR) OF THE
CONFEDERATION OF CENTRAL AMERICAN UNIVERSITIES (CSUCA)
WHICH REPRESENTS SEVEN UNIVERSITIES IN CENTRAL AMERICA
AND PANAMA. THE LETTER CALLS THE CANAL ISSUE THE
HEMISPHERE'S PRINCIPAL PROBLEM AND EXPRESSES CONCERN
ABOUT THE OPPOSITION IN U.S. SENATE TO RATIFICATION.
IT DECLARES RATIFICATION OF THE TREATIES FUNDAMENTAL
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THE U.S. IMAGE IN LATIN AMERICA, ADDING THAT RESOLU-
TION OF THE CANAL ISSUE WILL INITIATE A NEW ERA IN U.S.
RELATIONS WITH THE REST OF THE HEMISPHERE. TEXT FOLLOWS:
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PANAMA, NOVIEMBRE 18 DE 1977

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EXCELENTISIMO SENOR PRESIDENTE:

NOSOTROS, LOS ABAJO FIRMANTES QUE INTEGRAMOS
EL CONSEJO SUPERIOR UNIVERSITARIO CENTROAMERICANO
(CSUCA), EN TESTIMONIO DE NUESTRO RESPALDO A LA
LUCHA DEL PUEBLO PANAMENO, FRENTE A LA CUAL
MANTENEMOS UNA SOLIDARIDAD PERMANENTE, NOS DIRIGIMOS

RESPETUOSAMENTE A USTED PARA PLANTEARLE LO SIGUIENTE:

1.- EL PROBLEMA DEL CANAL DE PANAMA ES UN PROBLEMA DE TODOS LOS PUEBLOS Y PAISES DEL MUNDO, PRINCIPALMENTE DE LOS AMERICANOS, EN CONSECUENCIA, ESTAMOS PENDIENTES DE LA SOLUCION DEFINITIVA DEL MISMO.

2.- OBSERVAMOS CON PROFUNDA PREOCUPACION QUE LOS TRATADOS TORRIJOS-CARTER, YA RATIFICADOS POR EL PUEBLO PANAMENO, TROPIEZAN CON LA OPOSICION DE ALGUNOS SECTORES EN EL SENO DEL CONGRESO NORTEAMERICANO, QUE PONEN EN PEKKBO LA VIGENCIA DE LOS MENCIONADOS ACUERDOS QUE ACABAN CON UNA EVIDENTE INJUSTICIA MANTENIDA DURANTE EODO ESTE SIGLO.

3.- ESTAMOS CONVENCIDOS DE QUE LA RATIFICACION DE LOS TRATADOS EN REFERENCIA, PORNYARTE DE LOS ESTADOS UNIDOS, ES CONDICION FUNDAMENTAL PARA QUE SU PROYECTADA GIRA POR AMERICA LATINA, SE PRODUZCA DENTRO DE UN MARCO RESPETUOSO DE LA SOBERANIA Y DE LOS DERECHOS DE TODOS NUESTROS PUEBLOS.

4.- LA SOLUCION DEFINITIVA DEL PROBLEMA DEL CANAL DE PANAMA SIGNIFICARIA, PARA NOSOTROS, EL INICIO DE UNA MEJOR RELACION ENTRE LOS ESTADOS UNIDOS Y LOS DEMAS PAISES DE ESTE CONTINENTE.
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ATENTAMENTE,

ROBERTO VALDEAVELLANO PINOT, RECTOR DE LA UNIVERSIDAD DE SAN CARLOS DE GUATEMESA, PRESIDENTE DEL CSUCA.
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MARIANO FIALLOS OYANGUREN, RECTOR DE LA UNIVERSIDAD NACIONAL AUTONOMA DE NICARAGUA.
MARIA EUGENIA DENGÓ DE VARGAS, PRESIDENTA DEL CONSEJO UCMERSITARIO DE LA UNIVERSIDAD DE COSTA RICA.
ALFIO PIVA, RECTOR DE LA UNIVERSIDAD NACIONAL DE COSTA RICA.
ELIGIO SALAS D., RECTOR DE LA UNIVERSIDAD DE PANAMA.

(SIGNED) SERGIO RAMIREZ MERCADO
SECRETARIO GENERAL

AL EXCELENTISIMO SENOR
JAMES CARTER
PRESIDENTE DE LOS ESTADOS
UNIDOS DE NORTEAMERICA

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